



Safe Return to In-Person Instruction and Continuity of Services Plan (ARP Act)

LEA Information

1. LEA Name (one LEA per form)*

Roosevelt SD

2. Entity ID Number*

4279

3. CTDS Number*

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4. Plan's Primary Contact Name*

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Please submit your Safe Return to In-Person Learning Plan every six months from your prior submission date.

Revision Timeline: May 2023-September 2023

7. Since your last submission date, when did your LEA last review and/or revise your plan? Please provide the updated mm/dd/yyyy of your review/revision. This date should be updated from your last submission. *

August 1, 2023

All LEAs receiving ESSER III funds must make publicly available on their website, a plan for the Safe Return to In-Person Instruction and Continuity of Services. Please list the link where the plan/template is posted on the LEA's website.

8. Insert the link below with directions on how to find your LEA's Safe Return to In-Person plan located on your LEA website (do not link directly to the PDF). The plan must be on the ADE template that will be downloaded from EMAC after completing your responses.*

<https://www.rsd66.org/covid-19>

How the LEA will maintain the health and safety of students, educators, and other staff and the extent to which it has adopted policies, and a description of any such policies, on each of the following safety recommendations established by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC)

9. Has the LEA adopted a Governing Board policy on universal and correct wearing of masks?*

☒ Yes

10. Please describe the LEA's Governing Board policy on universal and correct wearing of masks.*

8/1/2023

Face masks are made available for students and staff for those who wish to use one. Those who have tested positive for COVID may return after 5 days if symptoms have improved and must wear a mask around others for 5 days.

11. Has the LEA adopted a Governing Board policy on modifying facilities to allow for physical distancing (e.g., use of cohorts/podding)?*

☒ Yes

12. Please describe the LEA's Governing Board policy on modifying facilities to allow for physical distancing (e.g., use of cohorts/podding).*

8/1/2023

Social distancing is recommended while indoors. Desk dividers are no longer required in the classrooms and students are seated in groups when collaborative learning is happening.

13. Has the LEA adopted a Governing Board policy on handwashing and respiratory etiquette?*

☒ Yes

14. Please describe the LEA's Governing Board policy on handwashing and respiratory etiquette.*

8/1/2023

Handwashing is encouraged and routines have been set to perform this task at school throughout the day.

Health and Safety Practices

These practices are in place on all our campuses in order to keep students and staff healthy:

- Frequent handwashing encouraged
- Hand sanitizer available in every room

15. Has the LEA adopted a Governing Board policy on cleaning and maintaining healthy facilities, including improving ventilation?*

☒ Yes

16. Please describe the LEA's Governing Board policy on cleaning and maintaining healthy facilities, including improving ventilation.*

8/1/2023

Health and Safety Practices

These practices are in place on all our campuses in order to keep students and staff healthy:

Air purifiers in every classroom
Regular deep cleaning and sanitization

17. Has the LEA adopted a Governing Board policy on contact tracing in combination with isolation and quarantine, in collaboration with the State, local, territorial, or Tribal health departments?*

☒ Yes

18. Please describe the LEA's Governing Board policy on contact tracing in combination with isolation and quarantine, in collaboration with the State, local, territorial, or Tribal health departments.*

8/1/2023

Positive COVID cases must still isolate for at least 5 days. If symptoms improve, staff or students may return to school, but must wear a mask for an additional 5 days. No reporting of cases is required at this time.

19. Has the LEA adopted a Governing Board policy on diagnostic and screening testing?*

☒ Yes

20. Please describe the LEA's Governing Board policy on diagnostic and screening testing.*

8/1/2023

Isolation Protocol for Positive COVID Cases

- Confirmed positive COVID cases must isolate at home for 5 days. If symptoms have improved, the person may return to campus, but must wear a mask while around others for an additional 5 days.

- More information on Isolation can be found here:

<https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/your-health/isolation.html>

Updated Quarantine Protocols

- Per CDC and MCDPH guidelines, quarantine for close contacts is no longer required at school. Close contacts are encouraged to test on or after the 6th day since exposure. Close contacts are highly encouraged to wear a mask while around others for 10 days after exposure.

- MCDPH no longer recommends contact tracing unless the Community Level is "high."

- More information on Close Contacts can be found here:

<https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/your-health/if-you-were-exposed.html>

21. Has the LEA adopted a Governing Board policy on efforts to provide vaccinations to school communities?*☒ Yes**22. Please describe the LEA's Governing Board policy on efforts to provide vaccinations to school communities.***

8/1/2023

Vaccination Updates

- COVID-19 vaccinations are highly recommended, but not required, in Roosevelt schools

- Find information on vaccines here: <https://www.maricopa.gov/5641/COVID-19-Vaccine>

23. Has the LEA adopted a Governing Board policy on appropriate accommodations for children with disabilities with respect to health and safety policies?*☒ Yes**24. Please describe the LEA's Governing Board policy on appropriate accommodations for children with disabilities with respect to health and safety policies.***

8/1/2023

The Exceptional Student Services Director and Social-Emotional Learning Director will coordinate with site-based case managers to ensure that students with special needs and students with 504 plans are being met in the context of implementation of these safety protocols.

25. Has the LEA adopted a Governing Board policy on coordination with State and local health officials?

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☒ Yes

26. Please describe the LEA's Governing Board policy on coordination with State and local health officials.*

8/1/2023

As we continue to keep our Roosevelt community safe and learning, here are some updates, reminders, and resources to keep our families informed. The Roosevelt School District will continue to monitor community spread and follow guidance from the Center for Disease Control and Maricopa County Department of Public Health. We are prepared and committed to adjust practices as necessary for the best interest of our students, staff, and community.

Continuity of Services

Including but not limited to services to address students' academic needs and students' and staff social, emotional, mental health, and other needs, which may include student health and food services.

27. How will the LEA ensure Continuity of Services?*

Briefly describe an overview of the continuity of services and in the following questions you will provide more detailed information.

RSD community as ongoing dialogue and engagement of stakeholders in discussing, monitoring and providing information to RSD community via website, phone app., newsletters, board meetings.

28. How will the LEA ensure continuity of services for students' academic needs?*

8/1/2023

RSD has one on one technology for every student so an interruption to any students services can be minimized to every extent possible. Assessment, Evaluation and Curriculum is available for all students and is provided to meet all academic needs.

29. How will the LEA ensure continuity of services for students' social, emotional, and mental health needs?*

8/1/2023

Throughout our classrooms and schools, SEL is addressed daily with all students through our strategies in classroom . Health assistants, Nurses, district Lead nurse , social workers, counselors are available at each school site to meet the needs of the community.

30. How will the LEA ensure continuity of services for students' other needs?*

This may include student health and food services.

8/1/2023

All students receive breakfast and lunch daily. Each school has a nurse, social worker and counselor that can address the needs of students. District staff is available to help support and lead the needs and issues that may come up.

31. How will the LEA ensure continuity of services for staff's social, emotional, and mental health needs?*

8/1/2023

Wellness counselors, clinics, counseling is available for all staff. Schools and District staff have attended PD regarding healthy adults and addressing the needs of mental health. Proactive strategies and programs have been offered in RSD.

32. How will the LEA ensure continuity of services for staff's other needs?*

8/1/2023 Resources are available through district and school staff to address any need. If RSD does not have the resource, services and referrals are sought after and offered

The LEA must regularly, but no less frequently than every six months (taking into consideration the timing of significant changes to CDC guidance on reopening schools), review and, as appropriate, revise its plan for the safe return to in-person instruction and continuity of services through September 30, 2023

33. Describe the process used to seek public input, and how that input was taken into account in the revision of the plan.*

School Stakeholders, Board meetings - public input, stakeholder engagement meetings , Climate and Culture Survey, direct referrals from staff, school , district that give input to the revision of plan. CDC guidance , Maricopa County Health Dept.

After completing all responses in EMAC, save your information. Then, use the red download button to create a copy of your completed form to be uploaded to your LEA website. Once your form is uploaded to your LEA website, log back into EMAC to click the blue submit button and submit your form to be reviewed by your specialist. Your EMAC submission will not be approved unless this updated form is on your LEA website.

34. Did you upload the completed EMAC form to your LEA website?*

☒ Yes